

Curriculum Studies



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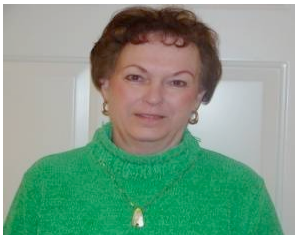
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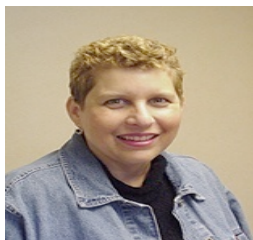


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- Elementary Science
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- Science Teacher
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Literacy



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- Literature for children and young adults from a critical literacy perspective (currently conducting a study of how adoption is portrayed); teacher education (conducting a longitudinal study of the effectiveness of the ExCEL program; following teacher candidates into the field to determine how the instruction we give in nonfiction reading and writing instruction transfers to their teaching); nonfiction reading and writing instruction

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Occ. Ed. Stud



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- Using career and technical education for high school reform, career development issues, career self-efficacy, self-efficacy of females, impact of career and technical education on student academic achievement,
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- Theoretical foundations for virtual reality in education and training; interaction of virtual reality with types of learning tasks and learner characteristics; effective design of virtual reality programs

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Secondary



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- Content analysis-text analysis
- Curriculum and instruction
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- Peace education-education for peace
- Social studies-history, geography, political science
- Teacher education-pre-services/in-services

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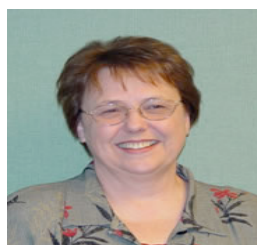


***Pat Jordan**

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- The conceptual knowledge base of pre-service teachers, international education reforms, the effect of an inquiry-based approach on teaching mathematics, and the correlation of mathematics understanding and drawing.

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- Second-language acquisition pedagogy
- Cross-cultural studies
- Spanish language and literatures
- English Language Learners and Learning
- Program development in world languages
- Assessment of world-language programs
- Proficiency-based language instruction
- Assessment in second-languages

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Special Education



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environment for at
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- Special education-pre-
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processes
- Special education-
procedures and
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special education
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- Special education-serving
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- Expulsion/suspension
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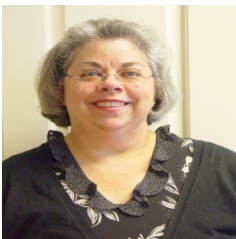
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